

Arizona Department of Administration
State of Arizona Procurement Office
100 N. 15th Ave, Suite 104
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Solicitation No. Scc060001-A1, Statewide Research and Survey Services.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide exceptions to the Terms and Conditions of the above referenced solicitation. We take exception to the following State Uniform Terms and Conditions based on the attached letter.

The proposed changes are:

3.7 Property of the State

Convert to 3.7.1 and add (Not Public Agency or State University)

Add 3.7.2

Property of the State (Public Agency or University)

When both Parties to the Agreement are agencies of the State, the Property shall be considered to be jointly owned. Universities shall have the right to publish.

3.8 Ownership of Intellectual Property

Convert to 3.8.1 - add (Not Public Agency or University)

Add 3.8.2 Ownership of Intellectual Property (Public Agency or University)

When both parties to the agreement are state agencies, the intellectual property shall be considered to be jointly-owned, and the agencies shall agree which party shall be responsible for the management and any potential commercialization of the intellectual property.

11. Arbitration

Convert to 11.1 Add (Not Public Agency or University)

Add to 11.2 Dispute Resolution (Public Agency or University)

To the extent the parties cannot reach agreement informally, they shall seek the assistance of the Attorney's General Office in resolving disputes.

The Term "or university" has been added because the Arizona Board of Regents is technically a body corporate and not a state agency. We would be happy to discuss alternatives to this term if needed.

Please note that we have supplied hours and hourly rates for convenience of submitting through the SPIRIT system, but we use a typical university labor exception reporting system to record actual costs.

Sincerely,

 9/30/05

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